

page 12, line 15 now reads as:

A₃ Fig. 3 shows a cover folding feeder such as can be used for flat sheets, for example. A feeder superstructure 30 rests on a subframe 32 as a supporting device, the two parts of the mobile feeder forming a module and being separable from each other. The subframe 32 can be moved with the aid of wheels 33. Setting screws 34 are used to fix it in position along an axis of the transport device 12 during operation. For precise positioning, guides 35 and stops 36 are provided. The feeder superstructure 30 has a separating apparatus 40 for separating the flat sheets.

In the Claims:

Cancel claims 2, 10, 12-14 and 16-17.

sub B₁ Claim 1 (amended). A processing device for flat products, comprising:

A₄ at least one feeder; and

a conveyor operatively charged with the flat products by said feeder;

said feeder being detachably connected to said conveyor in a working position.

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Claim 3(amended). The processing device according to claim 1, wherein said feeder is mobile.

Claim 4(amended). The processing device according to claim 1, wherein feeder includes fixing means for arresting said feeder at least in said working position.

Claim 5(amended). The processing device according to claim 1, wherein said feeder forms a modular unit including a superstructure and a subframe carrying said superstructure.

Claim 6(amended). The processing device according to claim 5, wherein said superstructure has a separating apparatus, and said subframe is equipped with one of rollers and wheels disposed to render said feeder mobile.

Claim 7(amended). The processing device according to claim 5, wherein said subframe has guides and stops for positioning said feeder in said working position.

Claim 8(amended). The processing device according to claim 1, wherein said conveyor has stops for positioning said feeder in said working position.

Claim 9 (amended). A collating device for flat printed products, comprising:

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~~B₁~~ feeders disposed at respective working positions;

a conveyor operatively charged with the flat printed products by said feeders;

at least one of said feeders being detachably connected to said conveyor.

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~~A₆~~ Claim 11 (amended). The collating device for printed products according to claim 9, wherein said at least one of said feeders is mobile.

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~~A₇~~ Claim 15 (amended). The collating device according to claim 9, wherein said conveyor has stops for positioning said at least one of said feeders in a respective one of said working positions.
